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IN REPLY REFER TO:

FWE/CO:ES-Plants-Spiranthes diluvialis

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Dear Spiranthes expert:

Enclosed is the final version of the Interim Survey Requirements for Spiranthes diluvialis. Also enclosed is a "letter of notification" for distribution to agencies and organizations that might come in contact with project planners and developers who should know about the interim survey requirements. Your suggestions of agencies and organizations that should receive the "letter of notification" would be appreciated. The Service is encouraging duplication and distribution of the "letter of notification" by the public.

The Service is presently developing a list of "experts" who are qualified to train would-be surveyors. If you have any suggestions, please contact the Service immediately. Please also be aware that being included on the list of qualified experts does not necessarily imply availability. The Service will play no intermediary role between an "expert" and a potential client other than to supply the list of qualified experts upon request.

The Service appreciates the careful thought and constructive suggestions that you have provided in developing the interim survey requirements. We hope that developers and project planners find the requirements workable and that results from the 1992 surveys will improve our understanding of the ecology, management, and distribution of Spiranthes diluvialis.

If you have any additional suggestions, comments, or questions, please contact Lucy Jordan at our Grand Junction office (303) 342-2778.

Sincerely,

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Enclosure

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